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Attention: Ms. Tashia Clemons

Attention: Mr. Ted Matley

Dear Ms Clemons and Mr. Matley:

The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) has completed the review of the following amendment to the Merced County Association of Governments' (MCAG) 2016/17 – 2019/20 Federal Transportation Improvement Program (FTIP):

<u>No.</u>	<u>Description</u>
5	Local and State Transportation Systems

- This amendment modifies an existing project in the MCAG region funded from the Active Transportation Program.

See enclosures.

The MCAG Board Resolution adopting this FTIP amendment certifies that the amendment is financially constrained, does not change air quality conformity, and meets the requirements of public involvement procedures adopted by MCAG.

Pursuant to the authority delegated to me by the Director of Caltrans, I approve MCAG's Amendment Number 5. I also recommend that the Federal Highway Administration and the Federal Transit Administration approve this FTIP amendment for inclusion into California's 2017 Federal Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (FSTIP). Approval of this amendment does not constitute an eligibility determination of the project for federal funding.

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Please address any questions on this FSTIP approval request to Lima Huy of my staff,
at (916) 651-7411.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Bruce De Terra", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

BRUCE DE TERRA
Chief
Division of Transportation Programming

Enclosures

c: Karina O'Connor – EPA
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